

Federal City Performing Arts Association Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

Sunday, January 14, 1996

New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington, DC

DIRECTORS: Present: Cohen, de Keyser, Dorr, Gerard, Greenwald, Madigan, Peirce, Rosen, Wheeler, Weeks, York.
Absent: Perkins (no proxy assigned).

STAFF: Holloway, Monell.

GUESTS: None.

I. Call to Order

Meeting Called to Order at 8:20 pm by Wheeler.

II. Invitation for GMCW to Perform

Wheeler informed the Board that GMCW has received a request from the Lesbian & Gay Chorus of Washington to be a guest artist at its June 8 concert. GMCW has been asked to perform a twenty minute set of our choosing and perform the GALA V festival song jointly with them. Dress rehearsal will be held that afternoon. Wheeler mentioned that the concert will be on Pride weekend so most members will most likely be staying in town for the weekend.

Brief discussion was held regarding the performance. Holloway explained to the Board that he had preliminary discussions with LGCW last summer. Prior to being able to finalize any arrangements, LGCW had advertised their season with GMCW listed as performing with them at the June 8 concert. Since that time, their executive director has been relieved of his duties and LGCW is now formalizing many details that had been missed by the executive director. Holloway also explained that the arrangement will be a standard GALA guest artist arrangements regarding fees, risers, instrumentalists, etc. Steve Herman is working out the final agreement and contract with LGCW as delegated by Monell.

Dorr moved, Gerard seconded, to accept the invitation from the Lesbian & Gay Chorus of Washington for GMCW to perform as a guest artist at their June 8 concert as a required performance for GMCW members.

Unanimous in favor. GMCW participation approved.

III. Adjourn

There being no further business,

York moved, Cohen seconded, to adjourn the meeting.

Unanimous vote in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:26 pm.



Respectfully submitted,
Jeffrey R. Peirce, Secretary, FCPAA.